GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3722
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SHARE OF POWER FROM RAPP UNIT 5 TO 8
VSM (RETD.) COL. CHOUDHARY

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government have received any proposal from the governmentof Rajasthan for expeditious implementation of RAPP unit 5 to 8;

(b) if so, whether under long term Nuclear Power Programme the implementation ofUnit 5 to 8 (each having 500 MW capacity) has been planned beyond Ninth Five Year Plan;

(c) if so, whether the Government of Rajasthan has also demanded allocation of 400 cusecs of water required for these units; and

(d) the time by which execution of these units are likely to be completed to reduce the gap between demand and supply in Rajasthan?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA)

(a) & (b) : There is a plan to set up four units of 500 MW each at (RAPP 5-8)Rawatbhata, Rajasthan. These are expected to be taken up for commissioning during 10th Plan, subject to availability of financial resources.

(c) : Rajasthan Government has agreed to spare the required quantity of water for these units.

(d) : The scheduled completion date would emerge after the 10th Plan proposals are firmed up.